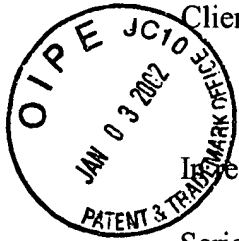


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Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

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Please amend claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 11, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, and 19 as follows:

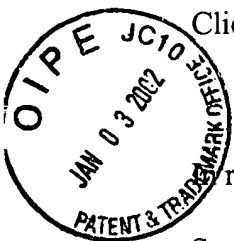
1. (Amended) In a communication system having a first communication station for communicating a communication signal to a second communication station, the communication signal weighted at the first communication station with a first weight for communication to the second communication station by way of a first channel path and weighted at the first communication station with a second weight for communication to the second communication

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